



FEDERAL ELECTION COMMISSION

WASHINGTON, D.C. 20463

July 8, 1999

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John Rodgers, Treasurer  
8th Congressional District of Virginia  
Republican Committee  
1111 Villamay Boulevard  
Alexandria, VA 22307

Identification Number: C00043919

Reference: 12 Day Pre-General Report (10/1/98-10/14/98)

Dear Mr. Rodgers:

This letter is to inform you that as of July 7, 1999 the Commission has not received your response to our request for additional information, dated June 16, 1999. This notice requests information essential to full public disclosure of your federal election campaign finances. To ensure compliance with the provisions of the Federal Election Campaign Act (the Act), please respond to this request (copy enclosed).

The Commission is in receipt of your response dated June 30, 1999 which references your 1998 October Quarterly, 1998 Post Election and 1997 Year-End Reports; however, still need to respond to the issues which were raised in our letter which references your 12 Day Pre-General Report. The Commission further notes that your response does clarify the committees administrative expenses during 1997 and 1998. If no response is received within fifteen (15) days from the date of this notice, the Commission may choose to initiate audit or legal enforcement action.

If you should have any questions regarding this matter, please contact Dominick Ciaraldi on our toll-free number (800) 424-9530 or our local number (202) 694-1130.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to read "John D. Gibson".

John D. Gibson  
Assistant Staff Director  
Reports Analysis Division

Enclosure



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JUN 16 1999

Reference: 12 Day Pre-General Report (10/1/98-10/14/98)

Dear Mr. Rodgers:

This letter is prompted by the Commission's preliminary review of the report(s) referenced above. The review raised questions concerning certain information contained in the report(s). An itemization follows:

-Please clarify all expenditures for "voter registration" and "get-out-the-vote". In addition, if any of the voter registration or get-out-the-vote activities referenced House or Senate candidates, they should be allocated accordingly, unless merely incidental to the overall activity. If a portion or all of these expenditures were made on behalf of federal candidates, they should be reported on Schedule B or F for Line 23 or 25 of the Detailed Summary Page, as appropriate.

-Your report discloses an outstanding balance(s) beginning this period for a debt(s) owed to Chesapeake Publishing Corp. However, an outstanding balance(s) at the close of the period was not disclosed on your October Quarterly Report. Please amend your report(s) to clarify this discrepancy.

-Your report discloses limited payments for administrative expenses. Each committee utilizing separate federal and non-federal accounts is required to allocate any administrative expenses between the accounts in proportion to the BALLOT COMPOSITION METHOD derived from FEC Schedule H1. A Schedule H1 must be filed with the first FEC FORM 3X submitted each year. 11 CFR §106.5(d)

Any goods or services provided to your committee by a person, except volunteer activity (i.e., a person's time), would be considered an in-kind contribution from that person, and would be subject to the disclosure requirements of 2 U.S.C. §434(b)(3) and 11 CFR §104.13, and the limitations and prohibitions of 2 U.S.C. §§441a and 441b.

Clarification regarding administrative expenses should be disclosed during each two year election cycle beginning with the first report filed in the non-election year. Please provide the necessary information regarding administrative expenses incurred by your committee and/or amend your report to disclose such expenses according to the referenced provisions of the Act and Commission Regulations.

A written response or an amendment to your original report(s) correcting the above problem(s) should be filed with the Federal Election Commission within fifteen (15) days of the date of this letter. If you need assistance, please feel free to contact me on our toll-free number, (800) 424-9530. My local number is (202) 694-1130.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Dominick Ciaraldi".

Dominick Ciaraldi  
Reports Analyst  
Reports Analysis Division

